



March 12, 2019

To the SUNY Poly Community:

The time of year is already upon us when we make preparations for our graduating students to turn their tassels, symbolizing the successful completion of years of hard work and the steadfast dedication it takes to obtain a degree from SUNY Polytechnic Institute.

Planning is already underway for commencement to mark both the end of our graduating students' time at our institution and the beginning of their journey as alumni where they will be well equipped with the knowledge and skills that they acquired here.

Below are the dates and times of SUNY Poly's Utica campus-based ceremonies for the 2019 Commencement Weekend. All events will take place in the Wildcat Field House with a reception to follow:

Friday, May 10, 2019

10 a.m. – Undergraduate Academic Awards Ceremony

4 p.m. – Graduate Commencement, including Graduate Academic Awards, Hooding Ceremony, and Conferral of Degrees

Saturday, May 11, 2019

10 a.m. - Undergraduate Conferral of Degrees

I am excited to offer faculty and staff the opportunity to either process with our graduating students or volunteer in one of many key roles to show our collective support. Once you have decided how you would like to participate, please mark your decision [here](#) by using this easy online form.

For more information about commencement activities, please visit the SUNY Poly website's [commencement section](#). I look forward to marking this important accomplishment together and congratulating our graduating students on this milestone.

Warm regards,

Dr. Grace Wang
Interim President